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*Dear Tribal Representative:*

This letter is to inform you that Idaho Medicaid intends to submit a State Plan Amendment (SPA) to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). The amendment includes the 2015 Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) increase and change in resource limits.

Idaho is required to adjust its resource and income limits based on COLA and other federal guidance and is submitting a SPA based on this guidance. Idaho Division of Welfare's development of this SPA will be reviewed as part of the Policy Update at the next quarterly Tribal meeting scheduled for February 5, 2015.

Idaho Medicaid is interested in receiving your comments, questions or suggestions relating to these changes. Should you have questions about this letter or comments about the upcoming SPA submission, please contact Callie Harrold, Aid for the Aged, Blind and Disabled (AABD) Program Specialist, at 334-0663, or [HarroldC@dhw.idaho.gov](mailto:HarroldC@dhw.idaho.gov), by February 3, 2015.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'LH', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

LISA HETTINGER  
Administrator

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